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UTILITY  
PATENT APPLICATION  
TRANSMITTAL

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Atty Docket No.

1544.003

First Named Inventor

Khoja, et al.

Title

Isolated VSHK-1 Receptor Polypeptide  
and Method of Use Thereof

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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

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1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form  
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☒ Specification Total Pages 72  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
- Descriptive title of the invention
  - Cross Reference to Related Applications
  - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
  - Reference to Microfiche Appendix
  - Background of the Invention
  - Brief Summary of the Invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
  - Detailed Description
  - Claim(s)
  - Abstract of the Disclosure
3. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) Total Sheets 04
4. ☒ Oath or Declaration Total Sheets 02
- a. ☐ Newly executed (original or copy)
  - b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 16 completed)
  - i. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)  
Signed statement attached deleting  
inventor(s) named in the prior application,  
see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)
  - c. ☒ Unsigned

5. ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)
6. ☒ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  
(if applicable, all necessary)
- a. ☒ Computer Readable Copy
  - b. ☒ Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)
  - c. ☒ Statement verifying identity of above copies

## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

7. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
8. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of Attorney  
(when there is an assignee)
9. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
10. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
11. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
12. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
(Should be specifically itemized)
13. ☐ Small Entity ☐ Statement filed in prior application  
Statement(s) Status still proper and desired
14. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)  
(if foreign priority is claimed)
15. ☐ Other:

16a. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:

☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.    /   .

# FEE TRANSMITTAL

Note: Effective October 1, 1998.  
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Attorney Docket Number 4.003  
First Named Inventor Kuoja, et al.

## COMPLETE IF KNOWN

Application Number N/A  
Filing Date Herewith  
Group Art Unit N/A  
Examiner Name N/A

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT \$1,306.00

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## FEE CALCULATION

### 1. FILING FEE

Large Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Small Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Due
101	760	201	380	Utility filing fee	\$760.00
102	310	206	155	Design filing fee	
104	480	207	240	Plant filing fee	
109	760	208	380	Reissue filing fee	
110	150	214	75	Provisional filing fee	
SUBTOTAL (1)					\$760.00

### 2. CLAIMS

No. of claims as filed or after amendment	Most claims previously paid	Extra claims	Fee from below	Fee Due
Total claims 20	20	= 00	x --	\$
Ind. claims 10	3	= 07	x 78	\$546.00
Multiple Dependent claims			x	

Large Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Small Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	78	202	39	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	260	204	130	Multiple dependent claim
109	78	209	39	Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9	Reissue claims in excess of and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) \$546.00

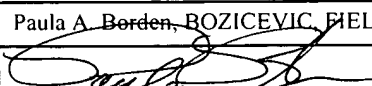
### 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Small Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Due
105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
115	110	215	55	Ext. for reply within first month	
117	870	217	435	Ext. for reply within third month	
128	1,850	228	925	Ext. for reply within fifth month	
120	300	220	150	Filing brief in support of appeal	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
142	1,210	242	605	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
123	50	123	50	Petitions related to prov. appl.	
146	760	246	380	Filing submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
143	430	243	215	Design issue fee	
581	40	581	40	Recording patent assignment	
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
147	2,520	147	2,520	Filing a request for reexamination	
116	380	216	190	Ext. for reply within second month	
118	1,360	218	680	Ext. for reply within fourth month	
119	300	219	150	Notice of Appeal	
121	260	221	130	Request for oral hearing	
141	1,210	241	605	Petition to revive - unintentional	
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
126	240	126	240	Submission of IDS	
149	760	249	380	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
113	1840*	113	1840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
144	580	244	290	Plant issue fee	
Other fee (specify)					

\* Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid

SUBTOTAL (3) (\$)

### SUBMITTED BY

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